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CONSERVATION PLEDGE

I give my pledge as an American to save and faithfully to defend from waste the natural resources of my Country – its Soil and Minerals, its Forests, Air, Waters, and Wildlife.

INTRODUCTION

The Garden Club of Alabama has felt the need for some time to revise and update the Wild Flower Conservation List for our State. The original list was compiled in 1960 by Mrs. Earl R. Stamps and Mrs. C. Y. Linder. As Conservation Chairman, Mrs. Stamps has again consented to prepare this most timely publication. We are sincerely grateful to her and to those who so diligently and effectively aided her in this endeavor.

It is extremely vital that every citizen help in the protection and preservation of our native plant material. Our world is being needlessly stripped of its trees and flowers through ignorance, neglect and ruthless bulldozing in the name of progress. What a barren, dismal land we shall leave to our children if we cannot hinder this abuse to our surroundings.

Faith is easy and belief is simple in a beautiful green world. This earth we share needs tending. We pray therefore that, as the sun sets each day, all of us can know the joy and satisfaction of of leaving a patch of untouched wonder in the woods, fields or waters for others to enjoy.

Rosalie E. Durden, President
The Garden Club of Alabama

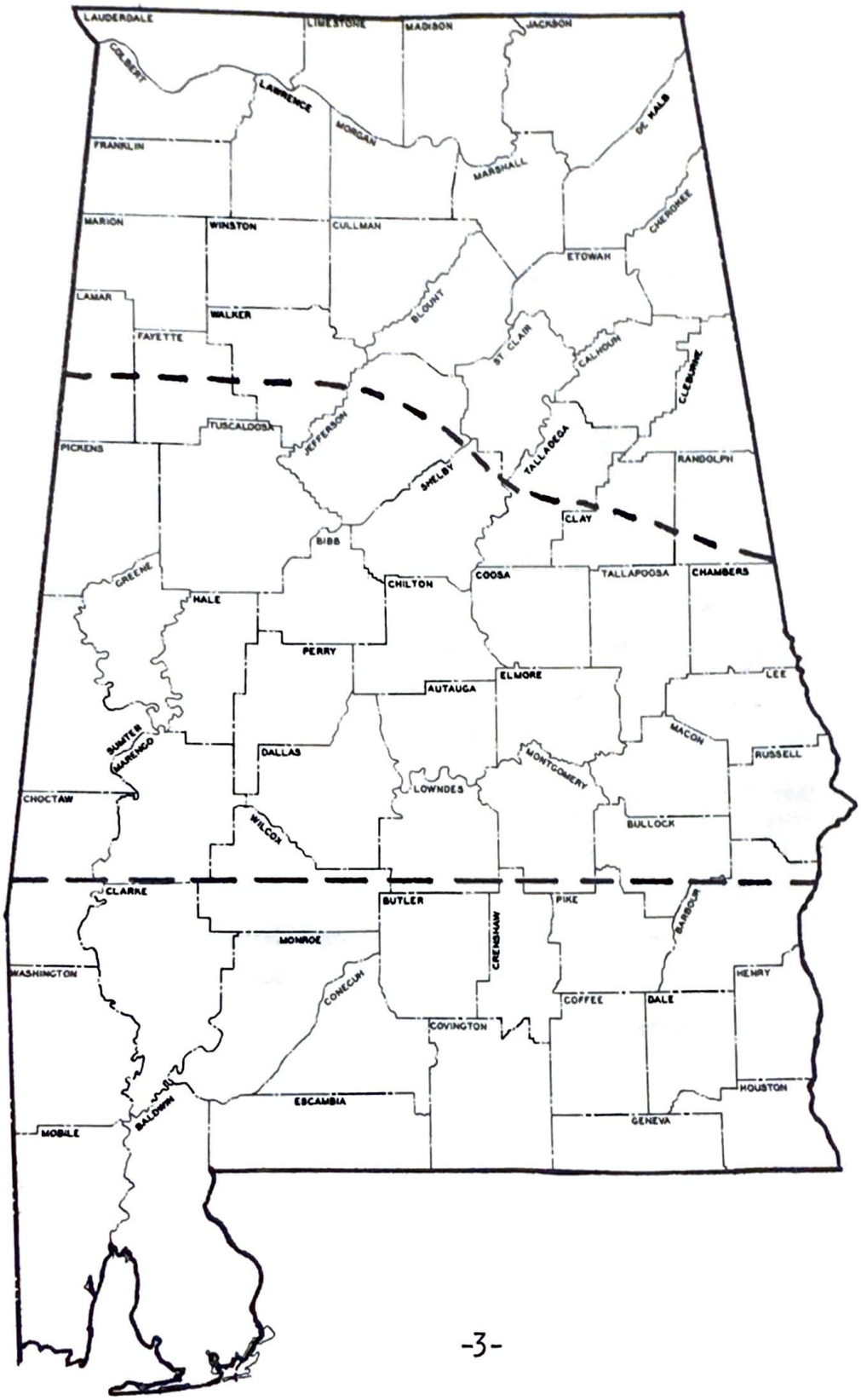
GREETINGS FROM DEEP SOUTH REGION

It is a pleasure to extend greetings to Mrs. Earl R. Stamps and her committee and to The Garden Club of Alabama, Inc., on the publication of this book.

It is the responsibility of garden club members to preserve and protect our natural resources and to do this it is important to learn as much as possible about those plants and wild flowers which are abundant and about those which are becoming extinct so that steps may be taken for their protection.

To those who have spent much time and effort in compiling this book we are grateful and it is our hope that it will prove to be an inspiration to present and future Alabamians in the preservation and protection of the wild flowers of Alabama.

Clara R. Easterly, Director
Deep South Region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WILD FLOWER CONSERVATION LIST FOR ALABAMA

Alabama has no law that protects our native plants and wild flowers but there is a law titled:

REMOVAL OF FLOWERS FROM SHRUBBERY

In order to protect all native, wild or domesticated trees, bushes, shrubs and plants from destruction, and to conserve the same, it is hereby made unlawful and a misdemeanor for any person other than the owner, or person in possession of the land upon which any such tree, shrub or plant is situated, without consent of the owner or person in possession of such land, to wilfully cut or break, or remove any flower or flowers from any such tree, bush, shrub or plant. (Title 6, Section 212, 1940 Code)

DAMAGE OF FLOWERING SHRUBBERY

It is hereby made unlawful and a misdemeanor for any person, other than the owner or person in possession of the land upon which any such tree, bush, shrub or plant is situated, without consent of the owner, or person in possession of such land, to wilfully remove, destroy, cut, break, or injure any such tree, bush, shrub or plant. (Title 8, Section 213, 1940 Code)

Fine up to fifty dollars.

From the rolling hills of North Alabama on the Tennessee River through the Central Plateau to the flatlands of the South and the Coastal area, our State can probably boast of the greatest variety of wild flowers of any state east of the Mississippi River.

This booklet has been prepared in answer to many requests for a definite list of plant material native to Alabama which needs our protection. The Alabama Judges Council and The Garden Club of Alabama, Inc., recommends that we use this list in our Flower Shows.

The list has been divided into three parts and three sections as nearly as could be done, thus:

1. May be picked freely (these may be used in Flower arrangements).

2. May be picked sparingly (be sure to leave the basal leaves).

3. Rare (these must be protected – LET LIVE); With North (including Piedmont Plateau and Cheaha Mountain), Central and South Alabama Sections as marked on map found on page three.

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NORTH ALABAMA

Wild Flowers that may be picked freely
(These may be used in Flower Arrangements)

____ ASTER	*Aster sp.*
____ SPRING BEAUTY	*Claytonia virginica*
____ BLACK–EYED SUSAN	*Rudbeckia hirta*
____ BLUETS	*Houstonia caerulea*
____ CAT–TAIL	*Typha latifolia*
____ DAY LILY	*Hemerocallis flava*
____ CURLY DOCK	*Rumex crispus*
____ GOAT'S RUE	*Tephrosa virginiana*
____ GOLDENROD	*Solidago sp.*
____ HEARTS–BUSTING–WITH–LOVE	*Euonymus americanus*
____ JAPANESE HONEYSUCKLE	*Lonicera japonica*
____ HUCKLEBERRY	*Vaccinium sp.*
____ HYDRANGEA	*Hydrangea guercifolia, H. arborescens*
____ JIMSON WEED DATURA	*Datura stramonium*
____ JOE PYE WEED	*Eupatorium purpureum*
____ JOHNNY JUMP–UP	*Viola kilaibeliana rafinesqut*
____ MAY–POP PASSION FLOWER	*Passiflora incarnata*
____ GREAT MULLEIN	*Verbascum thapsus*
____ POKEBERRY	*Phytolacca americana*
____ POOR ROBIN'S PLAINTAIN	*Hieracium venosum*
____ PRICKLY PEAR	*Opuntia compressa*
____ EVENING PRIMROSE	*Oenothera biennis*
____ QUEEN ANNE'S LACE	*Daucus carota*
____ RABBIT TOBACCO	*Gnaphalium helleri*
____ DWARF SUMAC, SMOOTH SUMAC	*Rhus capallina, R. glabra*
____ VIOLET	*Viola papilionacea*
____ WALTER'S VIOLET	*Viola walteri*
____ YARROW	*Achillea millefolium*
____ YUCCA	*Yucca filamentosa*

NORTH ALABAMA

Wild Flowers that may be picked sparingly
(Be sure to leave the basal leaves)

_____AGERATUM	*Eupatorium urticaefolium*
_____ATAMASCO LILY	*Zephyranthus atamasco*
_____AZALEA – WHITE –	*Azalea viscosa*
_____AZALEA – PINK –	*A. nudiflora*
_____AZALEA – PIEDMONT –	*Rhododendron canescene*
_____BLUE–EYED GRASS	*Sisyrinchium angustifolium*
_____BLACKBERRY LILY	*Belamconda chinensis*
_____BUTTERFLY WEED	*Asclepias tuberosa*
_____CAROLINA JESSAMINE	*Gelsemium sempervirens*
_____SOUTHERN CRABAPPLE	*Malus angustifolia*
_____FIRE PINK SILENE *(Red)*	*Silene virginica*
_____GAY FEATHER	*Liatris sp.*
_____GENTIAN *(Closed)*	*Gentiana saponaria*
_____GERARDIA	*Agalinis purpurea, others*
_____GOOSEBERRY	*Ribes sp.*
_____ALLEGANY FOAM FLOWER	*Tiarella cordifolia*
_____WHITE FRINGE TREE	*Chionanthus virginicus*
_____INDIAN PAINT BRUSH	*Castilleja canadensis*
_____DWARF IRIS	*Iris cristata, Iris verna*
_____LOUSEWORT	*Pedicularis canadensis*
_____MALLOW	*Hibiscus palustris*
_____MAY APPLE	*Podophyllum pellatum*
_____MISTFLOWER EUPATORIUM	*Eupatorium coelestinum*
_____MONKEY FLOWER	*Mimulus ringens*
_____MOUNTAIN LAUREL KALMIA	*Kalmia latifolia*
_____PENSTEMON	*Penstemon sp.*
_____REDBUD	*Cercis canadensis*
_____RUE–ANEMONE	*Anemonella thalictroides*
_____SLEEPY SILENE	*Silene antirrhina*
_____STAR OF BETHLEHEM	*Ornithogalum umbrellatum*
_____TOAD TRILLIUM	*Trillium curiatum*
_____TOOTHWORT	*Dentaria sp.*
_____TURTLEHEAD	*Chelone glabra*
_____WHITE SPIDER LILY	*Hymerocallis sp.*

Wild Flowers . . . . Rare . . . .
(These must be protected ... Let Live!)

_____BLUEBELL	*Mertensia virginica*
_____BLOODROOT	*Sanguinaria canadensis*
_____AMERICAN COLUMBINE	*Aquilegia canadensis*
_____CARDINAL FLOWER	*Lobelia cardinalis*
_____DUTCHMAN'S BREECHES	*Dicentra cucullaria*
_____GENTIAN	*Sabatia sp.*
_____GINSENG	*Panax quiquefolium*
_____WILD GINGER	*Asarum arifolium*
_____AMERICAN HOLLY	*Ilex opaca*
_____ROUNDLOBE HEPATICA	*Hepatica americana*
_____HYACINTH	*Camassia scilloides*
_____JACK-IN-THE-PULPIT	*Arisaema triphyllum*
_____LADIES TRESSES	*Spiranthes vernalis*
_____LIZARD-TAIL	*Saururus cernuus*
_____CAROLINA LILY	*Lilium michauxii*
_____MAIDENHAIR FERN	*Adiantum pedatum*
_____MERRYBELL (*Bellwort*)	*Urularia perfoliata*
_____ORCHIDS	*All orchids*
_____PARTRIDGE-BERRY	*Milc' :lla repens*
_____PHACELIA	*Phacelia sp.*
_____ALABAMA PHLOX	*Phlox pulchra*
_____SHOOTING STAR	*Dodecatheon meadia*
_____TRAILING ARBUTUS	*Epigaea repens*
_____TROUT LILY	*Erythronium, Americanum*
_____GREAT WHITE TRILLIUM	*Trillium grandiflorum*
_____VIOLETS, SWAMP	*Viola primulifolia*
_____VIOLETS – YELLOW –	*Viola hastata*
_____VIOLETS – WHITE –	*Viola blanda*
_____YELLOW WOOD SORREL	*Oxalis sp.*

Wild Flowers that may be picked freely
(These may be used in Flower Arrangements)

_____ ARROWHEAD	*Sagittaria latifolia*
_____ ASTER	*Aster sp.*
_____ BINDWEED	*Convolvulus sp.*
_____ BLACK-EYED SUSAN	*Rudbeckia hirta*
_____ BLUET	*Houstonia caerulea*
_____ BONE-SET	*Eupatorium perfoliatium*
_____ BOUNCING BET	*Saponaria officionalis*
_____ CINQUEFOIL	*Ranunculus potentilla*
_____ CLOVER	*Trifolium sp.*
_____ DAISY, OX EYE	*Chrysanthemum leucanthemum*
_____ DANDELION	*Taraxacum officinale*
_____ DAY LILY	*Hemerocallis fulva*
_____ EVENING PRIMROSE	*Oenothera sp.*
_____ FLEABANE, DAISY	*Erigeron philadelphicus*
_____ GOLDENROD	*Solidago sp.*
_____ HAWKWEED	*Hiericum vernosum*
_____ HORSEMINT	*Mentha longifolia*
_____ IRONWEED	*Vernonia sp.*
_____ JEWEL WEED	*Impatiens capensis*
_____ MILKWEED	*Asclepias (all sp. except tuberosa)*
_____ MIST FLOWER, AGERATUM	*Eupatorium coelestinum*
_____ MUSTARD	*Brassica sp.*
_____ MULLEIN	*Verbascum thapsis*
_____ PARTRIDGE PEA	*Cassia fascicutata*
_____ QUEEN ANNE'S LACE	*Daucus carota*
_____ SALVIA, BLUE	*Salvia lyrata*
_____ SKULLCAP	*Scutellaria sp.*
_____ SNAKE ROOT	*Eupatorium sp.*
_____ SPIDERWORT	*Tradescantia sp.*
_____ SUNDROPS	*Oenothera fruticosa*
_____ VIOLETS, COMMON	*Viola papilionacea*
_____ VIOLETS, WOOD	*Viola palmata*
_____ VIOLETS, BIRD'S FOOT	*Viola pedata*

Wild Flowers that may be picked sparingly
(Be sure to leave the basal leaves)

____ BANEBERRY	*Acteae pachypoda*
____ BEAUTYBERRY	*Callicarpa americana*
____ BUTTERFLY WEED	*Aslepias tuberosa*
____ RED BUCKEYE	*Aesculus pavia*
____ BLUE PHLOX	*Phlox divaricata*
____ BLUE LOBELIA	*Lobelia siphilitica*
____ SOUTHERN CRABAPPLE	*Malus augustifolia*
____ DOGWOOD	*Cornus florida*
____ GAYFEATHER	*Liatris sp.*
____ GREEN DRAGON	*Arisaema dracontium*
____ GREEN MILKWEED	*Acerates viridiflora*
____ GOAT'S BEARD	*Aruncus dioicus*
____ WILD GINGER	*Hexastylis arifolia*
____ HEARTS-BUSTING-WITH-LOVE	*Euonymous americana*
____ WILD HONEYSUCKLE	*Rhododendron canescens*
____ OAKLEAF HYDRANGEA	*Hydrangea quercilolia*
____ IRIS (BLUE)	*Iris sp.*
____ JACK-IN-THE-PULPIT	*Arisaema triphyllum*
____ MARSH MALLOW	*Hibiscus aculeatus*
____ MAY-APPLE	*Podophyllum paltatum*
____ RED BUD	*Crecis canadensis*
____ SPARKLEBERRY	*Vaccinium*
____ YELLOW JASMINE	*Jasminum mesnyi*

Goatsbeard

Jack-in-the-pulpit
Indian Turnip

Wild Flowers . . . . Rare . . . .
(These must be protected . . Let Live!)

_____ALUMROOT	*Heuchera macrorhiza*
_____AZALEA	*Rhodondendron alabamensa*
_____AZALEA	*R. arborescens*
_____BITTER CRESS	*Cardamine douglassii*
_____BLOODROOT	*Sanguiaria canadensis*
_____BLUEBELLS	*Mertensia virginica*
_____COLUMBINE	*Aquilegia caradensis*
_____CROTON	*Croton alabamensis*
_____CAMELLIA, SILKY	*Stewartia malacodendron*
_____DELPHINIUM	*Delphinium exaltatum*
_____EARLY MEADOW RUE	*Thalictrum debile*
_____FALSE RUE ANEMONE	*Isopyrum biternatum*
_____GENTIAN	*Gentiana sapronaria*
_____GINGER, HARPER'S	*Hexasty lis*
_____GINSENG	*Panax quinquefolium*
_____HEPATICA	*Hepatica americana*
_____HYACINTH	*Camassia scilloides*
_____AMERICAN HOLLY	*Ilex opaca*
_____INDIAN CUCUMBER-ROOT	*Medeola virginiana*
_____INDIAN PINK	*Spigelia marilandica*
_____INDIAN PIPE	*Monitropa uniflora*
_____ORCHIDS	*All orchids*
_____PITCHER PLANT	*Sarracenia jonesii*
_____SHOOTING STAR	*Dodecatheon meadia*
_____SNOW WREATH	*Neviusia alabamensis*
_____TRAILING ARBUTUS	*Epigaea repens*
_____TRILLIUM	*All trillium*
_____TROUT LILY	*Erythronium sp.*
_____WHITE SPIDER-LILY	*Hymenocallis coronaria*
_____YELLOW MANDARIN	*Disproum lanuginosum*
_____YELLOW WOOD	*Cladrastris lutea*
_____YELLOW HONEYSUCKLE	*Lonicera flava*

Wild Flowers that may be picked freely
(These may be used in Flower Arrangements)

____ ASTER	*Aster sp.*
____ BAYBERRY	*Myrica sp.*
____ BLACK-EYED-SUSAN	*Rudbeckia hirta*
____CAROLINA JESSEMINE	*Gelsemium semperrirens*
____CAT-TAIL	*Typha sp.*
____ COREOPSIS	*Coreopsis sp.*
____ CROTON	*Croton sp.*
____ CYRILLA OR TITI	*Cyrilla racemiflora*
____BLACK TITI	*Cliftonia monophylla*
____"DITCH LILLY"	*Iris sp.*
____PHILADELPHIA FLEABANE	*Erigeron philadelphicus*
____ GALLBERRY	*Ilex glabra*
____GERARDIA	*Gerardia sp.*
____ GOLDENROD	*Solidago sp.*
____ HIBISCUS	*Hibiscus sp.*
____INDIGO	*Baptisia leucantha*
____JIMSON WEED	*Datura stramonium*
____MILKWEED	*Asclepias sp.*
____ REDBUD	*Cercis canadensis*
____ROSEMARY	*Ceratiola ericoides*
____SEA OXEYE	*Borrichia frutescens*
____ SEASIDE BALM	*Conradina verticillata*
____SESBAN	*Daubentonia punica*
____ SPIDERWORT	*Commelina sp.*
____SUNFLOWER	*Helianthus sp.*
____ TALLOW TREE	*Sapium sebiferum*
____ TOAD-FLAX	*Linaria canadensis*
____ VERBENA	*Verbena sp.*
____ YUCCA	*Yucca filamentosa*

Wild Flowers that may be picked sparingly
(Be sure to leave the basal leaves)

_____ BERGEMOT	*Monarda sp.*
_____ BLADDERWORT	*Utricularia sp.*
_____ WHITE CEDAR	*Chamacyparis thyoides*
_____ CATESBY'S LILY	*Lilium catesbaei*
_____ FLOWERING DOGWOOD	*Cornus florida*
_____ DOG HOBBLE OR FETTERBUSH	*Leucothoe racemosa*
_____ GAYFEATHER	*Liatris secunda, others*
_____ GROUND CHERRY	*Physalis sp.*
_____ GOLDEN CLUB *or* NEVER-WET	*Orontium aquaticum*
_____ IRONWEED	*Vernonia sp.*
_____ MATRIMONY VINE	*Lycium carolinianum*
_____ MAY-POP *or* PASSION FLOWER	*Passiflora incarnata*
_____ DWARF MILKWORT	*Ploygala nana, others*
_____ PARTRIDGE BERRY	*Mitchella repens*
_____ PHLOX	*Phlox sp.*
_____ PIPEWORT	*Eriocaulun compressum*
_____ SALVIA	*Salvia lyrata*
_____ SKULLCAP	*Scutellaria sp.*
_____ ST. JOHN'S WORT	*Hypericum sp.*
_____ SUNBONNET	*Chaptalia tomentosa*
_____ SUNDEWS	*Drosera*
_____ SUNDROP	*Oenothera fruticosa*
_____ SUMMERSWEET CLETHRA	*Clethra alnifolia*
_____ "WHITE-TOP" *(Sedge)*	*Dichromena colorata*
_____ VIOLETS – STRAP	*Viola vittata*
_____ VIOLETS – LANCE-LEAF	*Viola lanceolata*

Wild Flowers . . . . Rare. . . .
(These must be protected . . . Let Live)

____AZALEA	*Rhododendron sp*
____BOTTLEBRUSH BUCKEYE	*Aesculus parviflora*
____BUTTER-WORT	*Pinquicula vulgaris & others*
____CARDINAL FLOWER	*Lobelis cardinalis*
____GENTIAN	*Sabalia sp.*
____GILIA	*Ipomopsis rubra*
____GINSENG	*Panax sp.*
____GOLD CREST	*Lophiola americana*
____AMERICAN HOLLY	*Ilex Opaca*
____INDIAN PIPE	*Monotropa uniflora*
____KALMIELLA	*Kalmia hirsuta*
____LUPINE	*Lupinus sp.*
____ORCHIDS	*All orchids*
____PITCHER PLANTS	*(All) sarracenia*
____RED ROOT	*Lachnanthes carolininana*
____SEA OATS	*Uniola paniculatum*
____SUNBONNET	*Chaptalia tomentosa*
____WILD CHINA TREE	*Sapindus marginatus*

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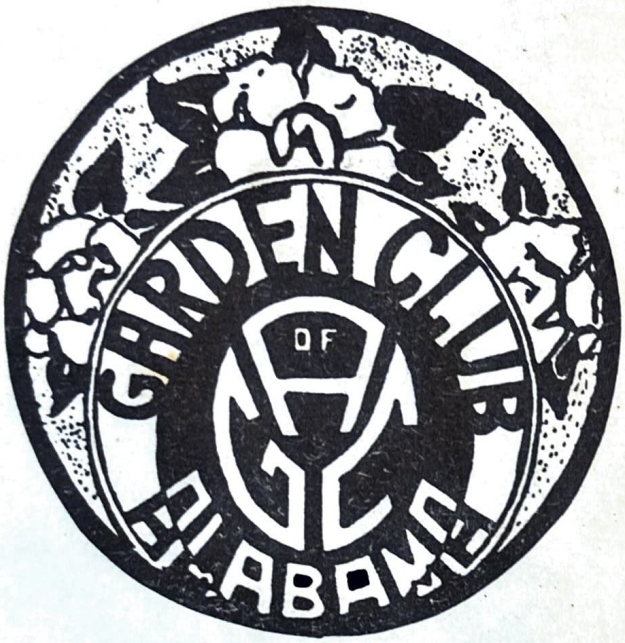
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